

Supporting Information

In each village, we let X be the number of 1-5 year-old children uninfected with pneumococcus, I be the number infected with *ermB*, J be the number infected with *mefA/E*, and K be the number infected with azithromycin-sensitive strains. We then modeled $P(X(t) = x, I(t) = i, J(t) = j, K(t) = k)$, with $x + i + j + k = N$, as a continuous-time Markov process. We represent this joint probability as $p_{i,j,k}(t)$. Observed values are denoted with the subscript *obs*.

Calculating Initial Conditions

The posterior distribution for each village is given by the following formula:

$$p_{i,j,k|i_{obs},j_{obs},k_{obs}}(t_0) = \frac{\binom{i}{i_{obs}}\binom{j}{j_{obs}}\binom{k}{k_{obs}}\binom{x}{x_{obs}}}{\binom{50}{15}} p_{i,j,k}(t_{prior}) \Bigg/ \sum_{i,j,k} \frac{\binom{i}{i_{obs}}\binom{j}{j_{obs}}\binom{k}{k_{obs}}\binom{x}{x_{obs}}}{\binom{50}{15}} p_{i,j,k}(t_{prior})$$

where 50 corresponds to the number of children per village, and 15 is the number of nasopharyngeal swabs collected in each village at each time point.

Modeling Treatment

Let E be the treatment efficacy against *ermB* strains, M be the treatment efficacy against *mefA/E* strains, and S be the treatment efficacy against antibiotic sensitive pneumococcal strains. We can then model treatment as independent binomial draws, as shown in the following equation:

$$\begin{aligned} p_{i,j,k}(t+1) = & \dots \\ p_{i,j,k}(t) & \left(1 - \sum_{l=0}^{(i-1)} \sum_{m=0}^{(j-1)} \sum_{p=0}^{(k-1)} \binom{i}{i-l} E^{i-l} (1-E)^l \binom{j}{j-m} M^{j-m} (1-M)^m \binom{k}{k-p} S^{k-p} (1-S)^p \right) \\ & + \sum_{x=i+1}^{(N-j-k)} \sum_{y=j+1}^{(N-x-k)} \sum_{z=k+1}^{(N-x-y)} p_{x,y,z}(t) \binom{x}{x-i} E^{x-i} (1-E)^i \binom{y}{y-j} M^{y-j} (1-M)^j \binom{z}{z-k} S^{z-k} (1-S)^k \end{aligned}$$

In other words, the probability of being in state $p_{i,j,k}$ at time $t+1$ is equal to the probability of being in that state at time t , times the probability of remaining in it, plus the total flow into that state from higher infection states.

Differential Equations

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{dp_{i,j,k}(t)}{dt} = & -p_{i,j,k}(t) \left((N-i-j-k) \left(\frac{i}{N}\beta_{mef} + \frac{j}{N}\beta_{erm} + \frac{k}{N}\beta_s \right) + i\gamma_{mef} + j\gamma_{erm} + k\gamma_s \right) \\
& + p_{i-1,j,k}(t) (N-(i-1)-j-k) \left(\frac{i-1}{N} \right) \beta_{mef} \\
& + p_{i,j-1,k}(t) (N-i-(j-1)-k) \left(\frac{j-1}{N} \right) \beta_{erm} \\
& + p_{i,j,k-1}(t) (N-i-j-(k-1)) \left(\frac{k-1}{N} \right) \beta_s \\
& + p_{i+1,j,k}(t) (i+1)\gamma \\
& + p_{i,j+1,k}(t) (j+1)\gamma \\
& + p_{i,j,k+1}(t) (k+1)\gamma,
\end{aligned}$$

where β_{mef} , β_{erm} , and β_s denote the transmission coefficients for each strain.

Calculating the Joint Likelihood

Let v be the index corresponding to each village, and let i, j, k , and x be the predicted number of children in each of the 4 groups under the model. Let i_{obs} , j_{obs} , k_{obs} , and x_{obs} be the number of children observed to be in each group by analysis of nasopharangeal swabs, and θ be the vector of model parameters. Then, the joint likelihood of the observations under the model can be calculated by:

$$\mathcal{L}(\theta|data) = \prod_{v=1}^8 \prod_{t \in (36, 42, 54)} \left(\sum_{i,j,k} p_{i,j,k|\theta}(v, t) * \mathcal{S}(v, t) \right)$$

where $\mathcal{S}(v, t)$ is the probability of the observed samples, given i , j , and k :

$$\mathcal{S}(v, t) = \frac{\binom{i}{i_{obs}(v,t)} \binom{j}{j_{obs}(v,t)} \binom{k}{k_{obs}(v,t)} \binom{x}{x_{obs}(v,t)}}{\binom{50}{15}}$$